

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, )  
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                                  Plaintiff, )  
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                                  vs. )  
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ELIZABETH SANTIAGO-SANTIAGO, )  
                                  )  
                                  Defendant. )  
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8:11CR349

ORDER

This matter is before the court on the defendant's unopposed motion to continue trial [19] due to ongoing research. For good cause shown,

**IT IS ORDERED** that the motion to continue trial is granted, as follows:

1. The jury trial now set for June 5, 2012 is continued to **August 14, 2012**.
2. Defendant is ordered to file a waiver of speedy trial as soon as practicable
3. In accordance with 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A), the court finds that the ends of justice will be served by granting this continuance and outweigh the interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial. Any additional time arising as a result of the granting of this motion, that is, the time between **today's date and August 14, 2012**, shall be deemed excludable time in any computation of time under the requirement of the Speedy Trial Act. Failure to grant a continuance would deny counsel for the defendant the reasonable time necessary for effective preparation, taking into account the exercise of due diligence. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A) & (B)(iv).

**DATED May 29, 2012.**

**BY THE COURT:**

**s/ F.A. Gossett**  
**United States Magistrate Judge**